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Prior to examination, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

IN THE CLAIMS:

Please amend claim 5 to be as follows. A marked-up copy of the claim appears in the

Appendix.

5. A system as claimed in claim 4 in which the means for determining the flux-causing voltage include transducer means operably coupled with the or each phase winding.

REMARKS

Claims 1-24 are pending. By this Amendment, claim 5 is amended to address a typographical informality not related to patentability.

No fees are believed due, but the Commissioner is authorized to charge any fees that may be due to Deposit Account No. 500471 during the entire pendency of this application.

The Examiner is invited to telephone the undersigned to advance prosecution.

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